

MAY 2022

WATERTOWN ELKS LODGE #496
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Exalted Ruler’s Message
Here we are in May already and what a busy month ahead for The Lodge.

A special thanks to PER Tony Vern, PER Dennis Brady, Leading Knight Anne Fleming, Trustee Cheryl Clark, Cathy Taylor, Betty Tanner and all of the other volunteers for making the Easter Breakfast a success. I am looking forward to our Mother’s Day Breakfast Buffet returning on May 8th.

Thank you to JoAnn Pastor for the wonderful job on our Membership Board. It looks very nice.

I, along with a few other officers, will be attending the State Spring Conference from May 12-15.

The Lodge has many raffle ticket sales taking place. Among the them are two SU Football Season home game passes with parking permit. Drawing for this will be in August at the Family Picnic. Weber Grill raffle supporting ENF with this one being drawn on July 20th. Camp Bristol Raffle, Sponsor A Vet - Send A Kid to Camp.

May 21st will be the Armed Forces Day Parade, come show your support.

Please make sure your dues are paid and to promote membership to our Lodge.

The month will end with Memorial Day. This is the time to Honor the men and women who sacrificed their lives for the Freedom we enjoy today. Join us for a brief ceremony, at 8:30am, across from The Lodge at our Honorary Outer Guard, Pvt Harold Wright’s Statue. We will then proceed to other ceremonies.

Happy Mother’s Day To All Moms

Fraternally yours,
ER Edward C. Massa



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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3 Steak night 5- 7:30 Queen of Hearts	4 Burgers 5- 7:30 Bell Jar 5:00	5 6:30 - Trustee Mtg 7:30PM Lodge Mtg Initiation	6 Dinner 5- 7:30	7
8 8:30 - 11:30 Mother's Day Breakfast Buffet Adults - \$12.00 5-10 years - \$7 Under 5 - Free	9 6:30 PM House Committee	10 Steak night 5- 7:30 Queen of Hearts	11 Burgers 5- 7:30 Bell Jar 5:00	12	13 Dinner 5 - 7:30	14
15	16	17 Steak night 5- 7:30 Queen of Hearts	18 Burgers 5- 7:30 Bell Jar 5:00	19 7:30PM Lodge Mtg	20 Dinner 5 - 7:30	21 Armed Forces Day Parade In Watertown
22	23	24 Steak night 5- 7:30 Queen of Hearts	25 Burgers 5- 7:30 Bell Jar 5:00 6:30 PM- Board of Directors	26	27 Dinner 5 - 7:30	28
29	30 LODGE CLOSED	31 Steak night 5- 7:30 Queen of Hearts				

FROM THE SECRETARY’S DESK

Dues statements went out in late January 2022 for the 2022-2023 Lodge year. If you do not receive a statement, please contact me so we can review your mailing address.

You can now pay your dues online at <https://search.revopay.com/elkslodge> Your first step is to put in Watertown Elks 496 on the main screen. Beneath the box there will be a highlighted link to select to open the payment page. You will have the option to register with this site or make a quick payment. You will need to know your member number to proceed with making a payment. There will be a small convenience fee that will apply. Any questions or concerns, please contact me at the email listed below.

The bulletin is available on our website at www.elks496.org where the monthly calendar and events are updated regularly. If you do not have access to a computer or smartphone, copies of the bulletin will be available at the Lodge.

There are many cards and fobs that need to be picked up. Please do so as soon as possible. You will need to contact me directly as they are now locked in the office. **Cards/Fobs will not be mailed.**

PLEASE NOTE: If you have a plastic card or fob for door entry, this is permanent and you will not receive a new one each year.

Contact Information: Leave a message with a bartender (I have an envelope behind the bar, which I check on a regular basis). Email Address: kkowal0496@gmail.com

Dues for 2022-2023 Lodge Year - Regular Dues: \$87.00; Life Member Dues: \$57.00
Fraternally,

Kimberley Kowal, Lodge Secretary
Watertown Elks Lodge 496
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Watertown, NY 13601
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“To Our Absent Members”
...upon our tablets of love and memory their names shall endure forever.

John Bondellio	6923
Robert Burgenstock	7794
Herman Kleiboer	7846
Bernard Neil	8052
John McCarthy	4271 LM
Gary Hopkins Sr	6433 LM
John McCarthy	4271 LM
Terry Gehring	5013 LM
Joseph Biondolillo Jr	5553
Thomas Strejlau	7253
Joseph Caronia	6155 LM
Terry Curtis	4933 LM
Howard Nelson	7245
James Marvin	4836 LM



2022 Legacy Scholarships

During April scholarship applications will be available for children, grandchildren and step grandchildren of a Watertown Elks Lodge #496 member in good standing. Scholarships are open to high school seniors as well as students already attending college. Applicants will need to submit an official transcript from their high school or college with their application. The items reviewed for this award are academic achievement, financial need and the applicant’s essay. Completed applications are due no later than, Wednesday, June 1, 2022. A total of two scholarships will be awarded with a value of \$500 each. The recipients will be announced in June 2022. Applications will be available on the Lodge website, by email and by regular mail. If you have questions or would like an email application or to receive an application by mail, please contact Peg Bootie at abigail1893@verizon.net or 315-788-0298.

LODGE INFORMATION

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Lodge Hours

Sunday	12:00-7:00
Monday	2:00-9:00
Tuesday	11:00-9:00
Wednesday	11:00-9:00
Thursday	11:00-9:00
(except meeting nights)	
Friday	11:00-11:00
Saturday	11:00-11:00

Items for the Bulletin

If you have an event or any other information for the bulletin, please email me by the 15th of the month prior.
Email Kelli Bell at the following email address:
kmb101764@gmail.com

STEAK NIGHT

TUESDAY

(5:00 - 7:30)

\$13.95



WEDNESDAY BURGER & FRIES

DINE IN OR TAKE OUT ~ 5:00-7:30

ER Burger (plain burger)

\$9.00

ER Burger with cheese

\$9.00

ER Deluxe Bacon Burger

\$9.50

NEW! Veggie Burger

\$9.00

(lettuce, tomato, onion, cheese)

(all prices include tax)



Friday Dinners for May

Dinner Guests must check in by 7:30 pm

May 6

Utica Style Chicken and Riggies

\$12.95

May 13

Broiled Butter Garlic Parmesan Sea Scallops over Angel Hair Pasta

\$20.95

May 20

Sausage and Chicken Jambalaya Stuffed Red Peppers with a Country Gravy and Biscuit

\$13.95

May 27

Provençale Braised Beef Tip Round w/Oven Roasted Potatoes plus a seasonal vegetable

\$15.95

Every Friday

Grilled Prime Rib

\$16.95

Fish Fry

\$11.95

(ALL MEALS WILL HAVE TAX ADDED)

GIFT CERTIFICATES

Gift Certificates are available to purchase for fellow Elks.

Minimum is \$10 and maximum is \$100.



Printing This Bulletin

It has come to my attention that some members wish to print this bulletin. Although it is designed to be viewed on a phone or computer, it can be printed on 8.5 x 11 paper. This should work for most home printers but there may be differences in terminology between brands. Contact me by email if you have a problem and I will try to help.

Double click on the printer symbol in the upper right
Paper size should be automatically set to letter
Click on “more settings” or something similar
Click on “fit to printable area” or “fit to page” or similar
Click on “print on both sides” if it is an option and you want to save paper

Kelli Bell,
kmb101764@gmail.com

MAY BIRTHDAYS

Ricky	Best	1	Valerie	Mitchell	10	Barbara	Yerdon	21
Scott	Everett	1	Jamie	Cornell	11	Peter	Barnett	22
Jesse	Roshia	1	Geoff	Mattraw	11	Kay	Clement	22
Bonnie	Sovie	1	Lonny	Reinhardt	11	Brian	Croft	22
Breanna	Burgenstock	3	Peter	Outwater	12	Howard	Frederick	22
William	Caprara	3	John	Rivers	13	John	Cook	23
Julie	Swenson	3	Adam	Brown	14	Cindy	Hoistion	23
Ray	Barden	4	Walter	Cummings	14	Larry	Knight	23
Carol	Brown	4	Matthew	Grant	14	Paul	Moran	23
Stanley	Eldridge	4	Thomas	Pearson	14	Al	Countryman	24
James	Pinkerton	4	Thomas	Roberts	14	Michael	Espey	24
Sarah	Sinclair	4	Gary	Rowe	14	Kristian	Loftus	24
Dan	Van Ness	4	Lester	Berghorn	15	Bruce	Morgia	24
Phillip	Compeau	5	Timothy	Clement	15	Andrew James	Thomas	24
Charles	Holman	5	Mark	Bartlett	16	Peter	Crabb	25
Robert	Kowalick	5	Cynthia	Cronk	16	Judy	Geng	25
Dennis	Trombley	5	Raymond	Diehl	16	J	Moculski	25
Michael	Aubertine	6	William	Pugliese	16	Michael	Branski	26
Leo	Cosgrove	6	Richard	Williams	16	Richard	Irvine	26
Peter	Decker	6	Donna	Dundon	17	Amy	L'Huillier	26
Ward	Anders	7	Patrick	Flynn	17	Gloria	Peluso	26
Terry	Ault	7	Mary	Hughes-Hoistion	17	Vicki	Cote	28
Jason	Jantzi	7	Marianna	Larose	17	Edward	Mustizer	28
Carl	Lawler	7	Richard	Tanner	17	Philip	Waite	28
Mark	Reff	7	Charles	Van Dyke	17	David	Kay	29
Tom	Barber	8	Michael	Yonkovig	17	Thomas	Lawlee	29
Ingrid	Bartlett	8	Julie	Derrigo-Intschert	19	Terrance	Cavanaugh	30
Kelly	Bice	8	Peter	Lagrow	19	John	Cook	30
Michele	Freislich	9	Barbara	Loftus-Lamon	20	James	DuPre	30
James	Navarra	9	Dan	Bossuot	21	Linda	Cantwell	31
Terry	Scee	9	Eugene	Mills	21	James	Powell	31
Michael	Cochran	10	Kathryn	O'Brien	21	David	Shaban	31
Herbert	DeJourdan	10	Robert	Peterson	21			

Officers 2022-2023

Exalted Ruler	Edward C. Massa
Esteemed Leading Knight	Anne M. Fleming
Esteemed Loyal Knight	Margaret “Peg” Bootie
Esteemed Lecturing Knight	Jay Miller
Secretary	Kim Kowal
Treasurer	Melissa VanBrocklin
Esquire	Dennis Brady
Tiler	Linda Leper
Chaplain	Bill Martin
Inner Guard	Joan Grappotte

Trustees:

Linda Knight
PER Cheryl A. Clark
PER Anthony J. Verne
PER Kathy M. Converse
Francis Jareo

Presiding Justice: Matt Doheny
Mediator: PER Cheryl A. Clark
House Committee Chair: Kelli Bell
Bar Manager: Geoff Mattraw
Kitchen Manager: Chris McCauley

